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Group Art Unit: 1653

For: *Calcipressins: Endogenous Inhibitors of Calcineurin, Uses and Reagents Related Thereto*

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed on June 3, 2002 in the above-referenced application. A Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time and appropriate fee are filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the application as follows.

In the specification:

Please insert the following paragraph on page 1 after the title and before "Background of the Invention":

--Cross-Reference to Related Applications

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/135,431, filed May 21, 1999 and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/161,195, filed October 22, 1999, the contents of which are specifically incorporated by reference herein.--